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FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9105

C O N F I D E N T I A L TEHRAN 9317

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FOR NAAS FROM MIKLOS

EO 11652: GDS
TAGS: OREP (BAYH, BIRCH)
SUB: BAYH INTERESTIN SOVIET PRESSURE ON IRAN

REF: (A) TEHRAN 9215, (B) TEHRAN 8932 AND 9091, (C) TEHRAN 8487,
(D) TEHRAN A-122

1. IN CONVERSATIONS WITH BOTH AMBASSADOR AND IRANIAN OFFICIALS, SENATOR BAYH EXPRESSED INTEREST IN SOVIET PRESSURES ON IRAN AND IRANIAN REACTION (REF A).

2. AMBASSADOR WISHES TO FOLLOW UP BY PROVIDING SENATOR WITH FURTHER DETAILS AND MATERIAL AVAILABLE IN WASHINGTON. BELIEVE REF (B) PROVIDES BASIC CONTEXT FOR THIS. AMBASSADOR SUGGESTS FOLLOWING AREAS BE COVERED:

A. EXTENSIVE PUBLIC CONDEMNATION OF IRAN AS BUYER OF US ARMS AND
SUPPORTER OF OMANI REGIME AS OUTLINED REF (B) AND IN SEPTEMBER 10 RADIO MOSCOW ENGLISH BROADCAST OF SERGEY LOSEV COMMENTARY AVAILABLE IN CABLE SENT FBIS WASHINGTON FROM LONDON DTG 110850Z SEP 76.

B. OFFICIAL SOVIET REPRESENTATIONS TO GOI AS OUT-
LINES REF (C).

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C. COVERT RADIO BROADCASTS FROM CLANDESTINE RADIOS.

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RADIO PATRIOT (LIBYA) IN EARY SEPTEMBER BROADCAST (FBIS WASHINGTON DTG 061620Z SEP 76) APPLAUDED THE KILLING OF THREE ROCKWELL EMPLOYEES, ATTACKED THE SHAH'S REGIME AND CLOSED WITH THE FOLLOWING: "SO LONG AS THE DARK PAHLAVI DICTATORSHIP REMAINS WITH THE AIDOF AMERICAN ARMS AND ADVISORS, THE LIFE OF EVERY AMERICAN IS IN DANGER AND MANY OF THESE WILL BE SENT TO HELL." RADIO IRAN COURIER (BULGARIA) CARRIED SIMILAR ATTACK ON IRAN AND US (CABLE TO FBIS WASHINGTON DTG 062027Z SEP 76).

D. APPARENT COVERT INDIRECT LINKAGE OF SOVIETS WITH TERRORIST ACTIVITIES AS SUGGESTED IN REF (D).

3. LEAVE IT TO DEPARTMENT HOW AND IN WHAT FORM THIS MATERIAL MAY BEST
BE PRESENTED TO SENATOR.
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